

WILLIAM GRENNELL.

DECEMBER 21, 1831.

Mr. PENDLETON, from the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, made the following

REPORT:

*The Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, to whom was referred the petition of William Grennell, praying for a pension, report:*

That the petitioner enlisted in 1775, at Derby, in Connecticut, in Wooster's regiment, for seven months, and was marched to Boston, where he remained till the following March; during a considerable portion of this time he was too sick for active duty. In July, 1776, he went to New York as a volunteer in Captain Sperry's company, and served till the autumn following. In like manner, during the Revolutionary war, the petitioner volunteered his services, and was in actual service in 1777 and 1779, against the enemy at Danbury, Fairfield, Norwalk, and New Haven. He received an ensign's commission in 1779, and a lieutenant's in 1780, signed by Jonathan Trumbull, the Governor of Connecticut, which have been produced to the committee. The petition is verified by the petitioner's oath.

William Kenney makes oath that he knew William Grennell, the petitioner, in 1775, and that he enlisted for seven months in the Connecticut line, in May, 1775; that he marched to Boston, and did not return home for nine months. The deponent also knows that Grennell volunteered in '76, and joined the army near New York, in Sperry's company, where he remained till October of that year. He swears that he was well acquainted with the petitioner during all the years of the war; that in 1777 Grennell served against the enemy at Norwalk, Fairfield, and New Haven, and that he was always one of the first and most spirited to turn out. The Selectmen of Greenfield, Franklin county, Massachusetts, certify (not under oath) that the petitioner is in indigent circumstances, and deserves assistance from the country.

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William Keneby makes oath that he knew William Greenell, the petitioner, in 1775, and that he enlisted for seven months in the Connecticut line, in May, 1775; that he marched to Boston, and did not return home for nine months. The deponent also knows that Greenell volunteered in 1776, and joined the army near New York, in Sperry's company, where he remained till October of that year. He swears that he was well acquainted with the petitioner during all the years of the war; that in 1777 Greenell served against the enemy at Norwalk, Fairfield, and New Haven, and that he was always one of the first and most spirited to join out. The Select men of Greenfield, Franklin county, Massachusetts, certify (not under oath) that the petitioner is in indigent circumstances, and deserves assistance from the country.